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1. [	☑ The	amendment filed on <u>7 and 8 March 2005</u> under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
	a) 🗌	entered.
	b) 🗌	entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
	c) 🗌	disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.  Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
	d) 🛛	disapproved. See explanation below.
	e) 🗌	entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendments filed separately on 07 March 2005 and 08 March 2005 will not be entered, since the amendments were filed after notice of allowance, and Examiner respectfully notes that the amendment filed 08 March 2005 proposes canceling the claims that were newly proposed in the 07 March 2005 amendment—therefore, not entering either of the proposed amendments at this time results in Applicants' indicated intention in the paper filed 08 March 2005 anyway.

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